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(430) SECOND NIGHT LEAD DULLES-FULBRIGHT

BY WARREN ROGERS JR.

WASHINGTON, FEB. 2 (AP)-SEN. J. WILLIAM FULBRIGHT (D-ARK) SAID TONIGHT SECRETARY OF STATE DULLES IS SERIOUSLY CONSIDERING A COUNTERPROPOSAL TO RUSSIA ON THE GERMAN ISSUE.

FULBRIGHT, SOON TO BECOME CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE, TOLD THIS TO NEWSMEN AFTER AN HOUR-LONG CONFERENCE WITH DULLES AT THE SECRETARY'S HOME.

"IT WAS JUST A GET ACQUAINTED," FULBRIGHT TOLD NEWSMEN.

HE SAID DULLES SPOKE FRANKLY IN A REVIEW OF FOREIGN POLICY ISSUES, PARTICULARLY WHAT TO DO ABOUT RUSSIA'S NEW DEMANDS ON GERMANY.

DULLES ARRANGED THE SESSION WITH FULBRIGHT ON THE EVE OF HIS DEPARTURE FOR TALKS WITH ALLIED LEADERS IN LONDON, PARIS AND BONN.

THE SECRETARY APPEARED TO BE COVERING HIS CONGRESSIONAL FLANK BEFORE GOING ABROAD TO UNIFY THE SOMETIMES CONFLICTING VIEWS OF THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN, FRANCE AND WEST GERMANY IN THE NEW GERMAN CRISIS.

FULBRIGHT SAID HE MADE NO SPECIFIC SUGGESTION TO DULLES. BUT HE SAID HE URGED THE SECRETARY TO DEVELOP SOME COUNTER PROPOSAL TO RUSSIA'S DEMAND THAT ALLIED TROOPS WITHDRAW FROM WEST BERLIN AND DEAL WITH EAST GERMANY ON THE FUTURE OF BERLIN.

"THE SECRETARY TOLD ME THAT HE WAS CONSIDERING VERY SERIOUSLY THAT QUESTION OF COUNTER PROPOSALS, OF WHAT CAN BE DONE," FULBRIGHT SAID.

THE SENATOR QUOTED DULLES AS SAYING IT WAS NECESSARY TO HARMONIZE THE VIEWS OF ALL THE ALLIES, WHEREAS THE "RUSSIANS HAVE ONLY THEMSELVES TO CONSULT."

FULBRIGHT SAID HE AND DULLES DISCUSSED VARIOUS POSSIBILITIES, INCLUDING ONE PROPOSAL THAT BOTH ALLIED AND SOVIET TROOPS BE WITHDRAWN A SUBSTANTIAL DISTANCE FROM BOTH BANKS OF THE ELBE RIVER.

THIS WOULD LEAVE A WIDE ZONE THROUGH GERMANY DEVOID OF EITHER SOVIET OR ALLIED FORCES.

FULBRIGHT GAVE NO DETAILS ON THE DISCUSSION ABOUT THIS SUGGESTION.

THE SENATOR SAID HE AND DULLES ALSO TALKED ABOUT THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S RELATIONS WITH THE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE NOW THAT FULBRIGHT IS SUCCEEDING SEN. THEODORE F. GREEN (D-RI) AS CHAIRMAN. GREEN QUIT THE CHAIRMANSHIP, SAYING HE WAS DOING SO BECAUSE OF TROUBLE WITH HIS SIGHT AND HEARING.

FULBRIGHT GAVE NO DETAILS, BUT HE SAID HE WAS CONFIDENT THE RELATIONS WOULD BE SATISFACTORY. HE SAID HE EXPECTS DULLES TO KEEP THE COMMITTEE CLOSELY INFORMED. DULLES WILL REPORT TO THE COMMITTEE UPON RETURNING FROM HIS WEEK-LONG VISIT TO LONDON, PARIS AND BONN, FULBRIGHT SAID.

FULBRIGHT SAID HE AND DULLES ALSO DISCUSSED THEIR DIFFERENCES. THE ARKANSAS SENATOR OFTEN HAS BEEN A SHARP CRITIC OF DULLES' HANDLING OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

"I THINK OUR DIFFERENCES ARE NOT SO MUCH ABOUT OBJECTIVES, BUT RATHER ABOUT THE WAY IN WHICH WE TRY TO ACHIEVE THEM," FULBRIGHT SAID.

"HE'S MORE CONSCIOUS OF THE DIFFICULTIES OF PERSUADING THE ALLIES--CHANCELLOR ADENAUER (OF WEST GERMANY) AND PRESIDENT DE GAULLE (OF FRANCE), FOR INSTANCE--THAN I AM.

"I MIGHT SAY SOMETHING OUGHT TO BE DONE AND THEN HE WOULD SAY THAT WE JUST CAN'T DO IT BECAUSE OF SOME OBJECTION FROM ONE OF OUR ALLIES."

TOMORROW AT 3 P.M. DULLES PLANS TO BE AIRBORN FOR LONDON. STOPS AT PARIS AND BONN ARE SCHEDULED IN THE WEEK OR SO THEREAFTER.

WHILE HE IS GONE, HIGH RANKING U.S., BRITISH, FRENCH AND WEST GERMAN REPRESENTATIVES WILL BE MEETING AT THE STATE DEPARTMENT. THEIR MAJOR TASK IS TO DRAFT A REPLY TO THE SOVIET NOTE OF JAN. 10 WHICH PROPOSED A 28-NATION CONFERENCE ON A GERMAN PEACE TREATY.

THE SUBSTANCE OF THAT REPLY IS A FOREGONE CONCLUSION. BASICALLY, THE ANSWER IS NO. THE WESTERN ALLIES PREFER, AS DULLES REPEATED AT HIS NEWS CONFERENCE LAST TUESDAY, TO HOLD A BIG FOUR FOREIGN MINISTER MEETING ON THE WHOLE GERMAN ISSUE SOMETIME THIS SPRING.

BUT THE "WORKING GROUP" AT THE STATE DEPARTMENT, MEETING FOR THE FIRST TIME, ~~TOMORROW~~ WEDNESDAY, MUST DO THE ACTUAL DRAFTING OF THE WEST'S FORMAL REPLY.

WHILE THIS MIDDLE LEVEL DISCUSSION IS GOING ON, DULLES WILL BE CONFERRING AT THE TOP. HIS PLANS ARE TO TALK WITH PRIME MINISTER HAROLD MACMILLAN AND FOREIGN MINISTER SELWYN LLOYD AT LONDON, PRESIDENT CHARLES DE GAULLE AND FOREIGN MINISTER MAURICE COUVE DE MURVILLE AT PARIS, AND CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER AND FOREIGN MINISTER HEINRICH VON BRENTANO AT BONN.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT LOOKED ON DULLES' DECISION TO MAKE THE TRIP AS AN EXPRESSION OF WESTERN UNITY.

HOWEVER, RUMBLINGS IN ALL FOUR CAPITALS, PARTICULARLY IN LONDON AND PARIS, INDICATE SOMETHING LESS THAN FULL ALLIED UNITY IN THE FACE OF SOVIET DEMANDS. THE REDS' PROPOSALS, IN BRIEF: (1) HAND EAST BERLIN OVER TO EAST GERMANY, (2) CLEAR ALL ALLIED TROOPS OUT OF WEST BERLIN AND (3) HOLD A 28-NATION GERMAN PEACE CONFERENCE.

DE GAULLE IS REPORTED OPPOSED TO ANY MEETING WITH RUSSIA BEFORE MAY 27. THAT IS THE GENERALLY ACCEPTED DEADLINE FOR HANDING OVER EAST BERLIN TO EAST GERMANY, ALTHOUGH THE KREMLIN INSISTS THERE IS NO HARD AND FAST LIMIT.

THE BRITISH ARE REPORTED AS ANXIOUS AS THE UNITED STATES TO GET TALKS WITH RUSSIA STARTED BEFORE MAY 27. HOWEVER, LONDON IS SAID TO BE OPPOSED TO ANY REVIVAL OF THE BERLIN AIRLIFT OR RAMMING THROUGH OF SUPPLIES ON THE GROUND IF A NEW BERLIN BLOCKADE SHOULD BE IMPOSED BY THE COMMUNISTS WHO SURROUND THE CITY.

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BRITISH-DULLES

BY GARVEN HUDGINS

LONDON, FEB. 2 (AP)-EXPECTATIONS OF A BREAK IN WESTERN STRATEGY ON GERMANY PRVADED LONDON'S DIPLOMATIC COLONY TODAY--48 HOURS IN ADVANCE OF SECRETARY OF STATE DULLES' FLYING TRIP TO EUROPE.

INFORMANTS SAID ONE REASON FOR THE DULLES TRIP WAS TO HEAL A CLEAVAGE BETWEEN THE WESTERN ALLIEU THAT COULD PAVE THE WAY FOR A NEW WESTERN APPROACH TO THE GERMAN PROBLEM.

THE CLEAVAGE WAS REPORTED BETWEEN BRITAIN AND THE UNITED STATES ON ONE SIDE AND FRANCE AND WEST GERMANY ON THE OTHER.

BOTH BRITAIN AND THE UNITED STATES FAVOR A RE-EXAMINATION OF PREVIOUS FIXED POSITIONS ON THE GERMAN QUESTION. WEST GERMANY AND FRANCE ARE LESS INCLINED TO SUPPORT A "NEW LOOK" AT THE ALLIED POSITIONN IT IS FELT HERE.

INFORMANTS SAID THIS STILL IS THE IMPRESSION IN LONDON OF THE WEST GERMAN ATTITUDE DESPITE A SUGGESTION IN BONN TODAY BY A GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN FOR A WESTERN FOREIGN MINISTERS MEETING ON GERMANY IN APRIL TO BE FOLLOWED LATE IN MAY BY AN EAST-WEST FOREIGN MINISTERS' MEETING.

BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY SELWYN LLOYD AND PRIME MINISTER MACMILLAN ARE EXPECTED TO SPELL OUT BRITISH IDEAS ON A POSSIBLE ASSOCIATION OF EAST AND WEST GERMANY IN TALKS WITH DULLES WEDNESDAY.

FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMEN SAY THESE ARE ONLY IDEAS AND THAT NO SET BRITISH FORMULA FOR GERMAN REUNIFICATION EXISTS.

THE FOREIGN OFFICE, MOREOVER, EMPHASIZES THAT ANY ASSOCIATION OF EAST AND WEST GERMANY WOULD HAVE TO BE VOLUNTARY AND CARRIED OUT IN FREEDOM.

IT IS FELT HERE THAT IF SUCH A PLAN COULD BE WORKED OUT AND PRESENTED TO THE RUSSIANS IT WOULD PROVIDE AN OPPORTUNITY FOR DEMONSTRATING WESTERN FLEXIBILITY.

THE BRITISH DO NOT CONSIDER THAT THIS AMOUNTS TO CAPITULATION, BUT RECOGNIZE THAT THIS APPROACH MIGHT PRODUCE SOME CONCERN IN BONN AND PARIS.

BRITISH OBSERVERS REGARD THE FRENCH SUPPORT OF THE WEST GERMAN POSITION ON GERMANY AS A NEW FACTOR WHICH IS MAINLY AN EXCHANGE FOR WEST GERMANY SUPPORT OF FRANCE IN ECONOMIC MATTERS.

THE BRITISH ALSO APPEAR WILLING TO SIT DOWN WITH THE RUSSIANS BEFORE MAY 27, THE DEADLINE THE DEADLINE THE RUSSIANS ONCE SET FOR NEGOTIATIONS ON BERLIN.

THE WEST GERMANX FEEL THAT THE WEST WOULD BE NEGOTIATING UNDER PRESSURE IF THE ALLIES SAT DOWN WITH THE RUSSIANS BEFORE THAT DATE.

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NIGHT LEAD BIG FOUR (310) 1959

BY HERB ALTSCHULL

BONN, GERMANY, FEB. 2 (AP)-THE WEST GERMAN GOVERNMENT TODAY THREW ITS SUPPORT BEHIND THE IDEA OF A BIG FOUR FOREIGN MINISTERS CONFERENCE LATE IN MAY TO DISCUSS GERMAN REUNIFICATION.

A SPOKESMAN FOR CHANCELLOR ADENAUER'S GOVERNMENT MADE THE STATEMENT TO A NEWS CONFERENCE IN ANTICIPATION OF SECRETARY OF STATE DULLES' ARRIVAL HERE TO DISCUSS WESTERN REPLIES TO THE SOVIET UNION'S LATEST MOVES ON GERMANY. DULLES IS DUE HERE THIS WEEKEND AFTER STOPS IN LONDON AND PARIS.

THE WEST GERMAN SPOKESMAN SAID THAT BEFORE BRITAIN, FRANCE AND THE UNITED STATES MEET WITH THE SOVIETS AT A FOREIGN MINISTERS CONFERENCE THE WESTERN BIG THREE SHOULD HOLD A SPECIAL CONFERENCE WITH WEST GERMANY AT THE 10TH ANNIVERSARY MEETING OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ORGANIZATION (NATO) IN WASHINGTON APRIL 2-4.

BY THAT TIME, HE SAID, THE WEST SHOULD HAVE WORKED OUT ITS REPLY TO THE SOVIET UNION'S PROPOSAL FOR A 28-NATION CONFERENCE TO DRAFT A GERMAN PEACE TREATY. THE WESTERN ANSWER COULD ALSO BE SUBMITTED TO THE FULL NATO MEETING FOR APPROVAL, HE ADDED.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID THE FRENCH HAVE ALREADY SENT A PROPOSAL TO ADENAUER BUT DID NOT DISCLOSE ITS CONTENTS.

RELIABLE SOURCES SAID THE FRENCH PLAN CALLED FOR REJECTION OF RUSSIA'S LATEST PROPOSALS FOR A FREE CITY OF WEST BERLIN. INSTEAD, THE FRENCH WOULD PREFER A MAJOR EAST-WEST CONFERENCE ON GERMANY LINKED WITH SUCH EUROPEAN SECURITY PROBLEMS AS THE BALANCE OF FORCES ON THE CONTINENT.

LINKING THE PROBLEM OF GERMAN REUNIFICATION WITH THE MAJOR EAST-WEST STRATEGY PROBLEMS IN WESTERN EUROPE EVIDENTLY DISTRESSED ADENAUER, THE SOURCES REPORTED. BONN'S SUGGESTION FOR A LATE MAY FOREIGN MINISTERS' MEETING DISTINCTLY OMITTED ANY REFERENCE TO EUROPEAN SECURITY.

THE BONN GOVERNMENT IS ALSO WORKING ON THE ASSUMPTION THAT THE WEST WILL REJECT SOVIET EFFORTS TO PUSH IT INTO A CONFEDERATION WITH THE EAST GERMAN COMMUNIST REGIME.

STORIES FROM WASHINGTON, HOWEVER, PERSIST IN SAYING THAT THE UNITED STATES IS LOOKING FAVORABLY ON THE RUSSIANS' CONFEDERATION PROPOSAL. BONN IS CONVINCED THIS DOES NOT REPRESENT STATE DEPARTMENT THINKING, AND THE QUESTION UNDOUBTEDLY WILL COME UP WHEN DULLES ARRIVES.

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NIGHT LEAD CONGRESS

BY HAROLD K. MILKS

MOSCOW, FEB.2 (AP)-JAMES E.JACKSON JR., THE U.S. COMMUNIST PARTY'S SECRETARY FOR NEGRO AND SOUTHERN AFFAIRS, SAID TODAY MANY COMMUNISTS ARE IN JAILS OF THE UNITED STATES.

BUT FOR THAT, HE TOLD THE SOVIET COMMUNIST PARTY'S 21ST CONGRESS, THERE WOULD BE A BIGGER AMERICAN REPRESENTATION IN MOSCOW FOR SESSIONS OF THE CONGRESS.

JACKSON PRAISED PREMIER KHRUSHCHEV'S SEVEN-YEAR PLAN IN AN ADDRESS TO THE CONGRESS. HE DREW APPLAUSE BY SAYING IN RUSSIAN:

"LONG LIVE PEACE, LONG LIVE COMMUNISM."

THESE WERE THE CONCLUDING WORDS OF A MESSAGE TO THE CONGRESS FROM THE U.S. PARTY'S NATIONAL COMMITTEE.

JACKSON TOLD THE GATHERING:

"IF PRESIDENT EISENHOWER COULD SAY, AS KHRUSHCHEV DID IN HIS REPORT (ON RUSSIA), THAT IN THE UNITED STATES THERE IS NOT A SINGLE POLITICAL PRISONER, THEN MANY LEADERS OF THE COMMUNIST AND WORKERS MOVEMENT IN THE UNITED STATES WOULD BE ABLE TO BE PRESENT HERE AND TO GREET THE DELEGATES OF THE CONGRESS."

(JACKSON, 43, OF BROOKLYN, WAS AMONG SIX COMMUNIST LEADERS WHO WON REVERSAL LAST AUG.4 OF CONVICTIONS UNDER THE SMITH ACT OF CONSPIRING

TO TEACH AND ADVOCATE THE FORCIBLE OVERTHROW OF THE U.S. GOVERNMENT. A NEW YORK FEDERAL APPEALS COURT HELD THERE WAS NO PROOF THAT THEY TAUGHT REVOLUTIONARY DEEDS--BEYOND MERE THEORY. THE REVERSAL NULLIFIED PRISON SENTENCES OF FROM ONE TO FIVE YEARS.)

JACKSON TOLD THE CONGRESS THAT IMPLEMENTATION OF THE SEVEN-YEAR N PLAN WILL BOOST THE U.S.S.R. "TO A HEIGHT UNATTAINABLE IN THE CAPITALIST WORLD." THE AVOWED AIM OF THE PLAN IS TO EXCEL THE WEST IN INDUSTRIAL AND AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION AND IMPROVE SOVIET LIVING STANDARDS.

THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN THE UNITED STATES, JACKSON SAID, WILL FIND IN KHRUSHCHEV'S APPEAL FOR WORLD PEACE A GREAT SOURCE OF INSPIRATION AND MORAL SUPPORT.

HE SAID U.S. COMMUNISTS WILL NOT ALLOW "IMPERIALIST MERCHANTS OF DEATH" TO PLUNGE THE UNITED STATES INTO A WAR WHOSE ONLY OUTCOME WOULD BE NATIONAL DISASTER.

THE AMERICAN COMMUNIST, HE SAID, "LIVES IN THE MASSES AND TAKES PART IN THE DAILY STRUGGLE FOR BETTER LIVING STANDARDS AND FOR PEACE."

HE REPORTED HIS PARTY HAS DONE AWAY WITH REVISIONISM IN ITS LEADERSHIP "AND IS FULLY RESOLVED TO FIGHT AGAINST SECTARIANISM AND DOGMATISTS AND TO FOLLOW FIRMLY THE MARXIST-LENINIST LINE."

THE SOVIET NEWS AGENCY TASS GAVE JACKSON A BIG SHARE OF THE SPACE IN ITS SUMMARY OF THE CONGRESS SESSION.

EX-PRESIDENT NIKOLAI SHVERNIK, NOW AN ELDER STATESMAN, DESCRIBED TO THE CONGRESS THE REHABILITATION OF MANY COMMUNISTS WHO WERE VICTIMS "OF VIOLATION OF REVOLUTIONARY-SOCIALIST LEGALITY" UNDER THE STALIN ERA PERSONALITY CULT.

THE 20TH CONGRESS, SHVERNIK RECALLED, HAD URGED THE PARTY TO CORRECT THE VIOLATIONS. HE SAID CERTAIN MEMBERS OUSTED FROM KEY PARTY, ECONOMIC AND MILITARY POSTS AFTER BEING UNJUSTLY ACCUSED OF POLITICAL CRIMES HAVE BEEN REINSTATED. THOSE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE PROSECUTION, HE SAID, "HAVE BEEN AND ARE BEING TAKEN TO TASK BY THE PARTY."

N.E.IGNATOV, A MEMBER OF THE PARTY PRESIDIUM, REPORTED A NEW PARTY PROGRAM IS BEING DRAFTED TO INCLUDE "THE THEORETICAL PROPOSITION SET FORTH IN KHRUSHCHEV'S REPORT TO THE 21ST CONGRESS."

KHRUSHCHEV'S PROPOSITION COVERS THE TRANSITION OF RED-RULED NATIONS FROM THEIR CURRENT SOCIALISM TO COMMUNISM. HE SAID THAT GOAL COULD NOT BE ATTAINED UNTIL THEY OUTSTRIPPED THE WESTERN POWERS IN PER CAPITA PRODUCTION.

TWO COMMUNISTS FROM THE MIDDLE EAST--KHALED BAGDASH OF SYRIA AND SALAM ADIL OF IRAQ--PRAISED THE SOVIET BLOC FOR ITS HELP IN REGIONAL AFFAIRS.

ADIL REFERRED INDIRECTLY TO PRESIDENT NASSER'S MOVES AGAINST COMMUNISTS WITHIN THE UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC, IN WHICH SEVERAL HUNDRED HAVE BEEN ARRESTED. WITHOUT NAMING NASSER, HE SAID:

"EVERY ATTACK AGAINST THE COMMUNIST MOVEMENT IN ANY ARAB COUNTRY WEAKENS THE NATIONAL MOVEMENT IN THAT COUNTRY AND IN OTHER COUNTRIES, AND DAMAGES THE SOLIDARITY OF THE ARABS."

BAGDASH, SECRETARY OF THE SYRIAN COMMUNIST PARTY, FLED THE U.A.R. AFTER NASSER BEGAN THE ROUNDUP. HE TOLD THE CONGRESS:

"BUT FOR THE SUPPORT OF THE SOCIALIST (COMMUNIST) CAMP, THE STRUGGLE OF THE ARAB PEOPLE FOR INDEPENDENCE WOULD NOT HAVE BEEN CROWNED WITH SUCCESS."

A TASS SUMMARY OF ADIL'S SPEECH SAID THE IRAQI REVOLUTION OF JULY 14 DEMOLISHED THE POWER OF THE HENCHMEN OF IMPERIALISM AND TURNED BAGHDAD FROM A BASE FOR (WESTERN) PLOTS AND AGGRESSION INTO A BASTION OF ARAB INDEPENDENCE.

HE WAS QUOTED AS SAYING THE SEVEN-YEAR PLAN IS YET ANOTHER SOVIET CONTRIBUTION TO THE CAUSE OF WORLD PEACE.

POMPEYO MARQUEZ, A MEMBER OF THE VENEZUELAN COMMUNIST PARTY'S POLITICAL BUREAU, TOLD THE CONGRESS SOVIET SUCCESSES TESTIFY TO

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STRENGTHENING OF THE WORLD SOCIALIST SYSTEM AND WEAKENING OF AMERICAN MONOPOLIES.

FOLLOWING THE FALL OF DICTATOR MARCOS PEREZ JIMENEZ, HE SAID, "WE SUCCEEDED IN THWARTING IN 1958 THREE ATTEMPTS AT MILITARY COUPS INSPIRED BY AMERICAN MONOPOLIES AND IN WARDING OFF THE DANGER OF AN INVASION BY U.S. MARINES."

PRESIDENT EISENHOWER DISPATCHED MARINES TO THE CARIBBEAN AS A PRECAUTION AFTER VICE PRESIDENT NIXON WAS STONED AND SPAT UPON ON A GOOD WILL VISIT TO CARACAS LAST SPRING. THE MARINES STOPPED SHORT OF VENEZUELA AND SUBSEQUENTLY RETURNED TO U.S. BASES.

MARQUEZ SAID THE MAIN ATTENTION NOW IS BEING GIVEN TO ESTABLISHMENT OF A GOVERNMENT OF NATIONAL UNITY WHICH, AMONG OTHER THINGS, WOULD PURSUE A POLICY OF ENDING A U.S. MONOPOLY ON VENEZUELAN FOREIGN TRADE AND PURSUING A FOREIGN POLICY INDEPENDENT OF THE U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT.

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NIGHT LEAD NUCLEAR (430)

GENEVA, FEB. 2 (AP)-GHE SOVIET UNION TODAY DEMANDED VETO RIGHTS OVER ALL INSPECTION AND CONTROL ARRANGEMENTS DESIGNED TO ENFORCE A SUSPENSION OF ATOMIC AND HYDROGEN WEAPONS TESTS.

THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN DECLARED SUCH A PROPOSA WOULD OFFER THE WORLD NO GUARANTEES AT ALL THAT TESTING HAD CEASED.

MEMBERS OF THE WESTERN DELEGATIONS EXPRESSED HOPE TO NEWSMEN THAT THE RUSSIANS PUT UP THIS TOUGH PROPOSAL WITH THE IDEA OF MODIFYING IT LATER IN CONFERENCE BARGAINING SESSIONS. IF SUCH IS THE CASE THE THREE POWERS STILL HAVE A CHANCE OF NEGOTIATING A TEST SUSPENSION TREATY. IF NOT THIS CONFERENCE, WHICH HAS BEEN NEGOTIATING SINCE OCT. 31, APPEARS HEADED FOR COLLAPSE.

SOVIET DELEGATE SEMYON TSARAPKIN MAINTAINED A TEST SUSPENSION TREATY CAN ONLY OPERATE ON THE BASIS OF UNANIMITY OF THE THREE ATOMIC POWERS.

THE AMERICAN AND BRITISH DELEGATIONS RECOGNIZE THE VALIDITY OF THIS THEORY ON SUBJECTS SUCH AS THE APPOINTMENT OF AN ADMINISTRATOR FOR THE CONTROL SYSTEM, ADOPTION OF A BUDGET AND SUBSEQUENT AMENDMENT OF THE TREATY ITSELF. BUT THE TWO WESTERN POWERS MADE IT PLAIN THEY WILL NEVER ACCEPT A SYSTEM IN WHICH A NATION ACCUSED OF VIOLATING THE TREATY COULD ACT AS ITS OWN JUDGE--WHICH IS THE ESSENCE OF THE SOVIET PROPOSAL.

CONFERENCE SOURCES SAID TSARAPKIN SMILED AS HE READ OFF HIS LIST OF DEMANDS AS THOUGH REALIZING THESE NEVER WOULD BE ACCEPTED.

SPECIFICALLY, HE SOUGHT TO AMEND A BRITISH DRAFT ARTICLE DEALING WITH VOTING PROCEDURE IN THE PROPOSED SEVEN-NATION CONTROL COMMISSION. THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND THE SOVIET UNION WOULD HAVE PERMANENT SEATS ON THE COMMISSION WITH THE OTHER FOUR NATIONS ELECTED FOR TWO-YEAR TERMS. TSARAPKIN'S VETO PROPOSALS WOULD APPLY TO THE THREE PERMANENT MEMBERS.

THE RUSSIAN PROPOSAL WOULD GIVE THE VETO RIGHT OVER THE COMPOSITION OF INSPECTION TEAMS, THE SITING OF THE PROPOSED 180 PERMENENT CONTROL POSTS, THE ROUTES RAKEN BY AIRCRAFT COLLECTING ATMOSPHERIC SAMPLES. THE DECISIONS TAKEN BY THE CONTROL COMMISSION ITSELF TO SEND INSPECTION TEAMS TO INVESTIGATE SUSPICIOUS DISTURBANCES, AND MOST IMPORTANT OF ALL, IN CASE THE CONTROL POSTS AND THE INSPECTION TEAMS FIND THAT A VIOLATION HAS TAKEN PLACE, THE COMMISSION'S OWN REPORT WOULD BE SUBJECT TO A VETO.

TSARAPKIN ALSO INTORDUCED A DOCUMENT DEALING WITH THE STAFFING PATTERN IN THE PROPOSED CONTROL POSTS. THE CONFERENCE ALREADY HAS

STRUCK A SNAG ON THIS QUESTION. THE RUSSIANS WANT THE CONTROL POSTS MANNED ON A NATIONAL BASIS WITH FOUR OR FIVE FOREIGN OBSERVERS AT EACH STATION. THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN WANT THE POSTS STAFFED INTERNATIONALLY, SO THAT A CITIZEN WILL NEVER BE CALLED UPON TO REPORT THAT HIS OWN GOVERNMENT MAY BE VIOLATING A TEST BAN.

TO SEEK A WAY OUT OF THIS DISAGREEMENT THE CONFERENCE FOR THE FIRST TIME DETACHED A TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP TO STUDY THE JOB FUNCTIONS OF THE CONTROL POST PERSONNEL.

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NIGHT LEAD SPACE-DEFENSE

BY LEWIS GULICK

WASHINGTON, FEB. 2 (AP)-CIVILIAN SPACE CHIEF T. KEITH GLENNAN SAID TODAY IT MAY BE THREE YEARS OR MORE BEFORE THE UNITED STATES CAN MATCH RUSSIA IN ROCKET ENGINE POWER.

BUT GLENNAN AND SECRETARY OF DEFENSE NEIL MCELROY DEFENDED PRESIDENT EISENHOWER'S BUDGET AGAINST DEMOCRATIC CHARGES OF PENNY-PINCHING.

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GLENNAN AND MCELROY TESTIFIED JUST ABOUT SIMULTANEOUSLY AT SEPARATE HOUSE INQUIRIES INTO HOW THE UNITED STATES IS FARING IN SPACE AND DEFENSE.

A (SENATE) HEARING LAST WEEK BROUGHT DEMOCRATIC CHALLENGE TO EISENHOWER'S CONTENTION THAT HIS 41-BILLION-DOLLAR DEFENSE PROGRAM PROVIDES FOR BALANCED STRIKEBACK POWER AND SPEEDY DEVELOPMENT OF ADVANCED MISSILES.

MCELROY TOLD THE HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE "THERE IS NOTHING UNDER THE RUG" IN EISENHOWER'S BUDGET, THAT U.S. DEFENSE IS "PREPARED TO MEET THE THREAT IT FACES TODAY," AND NO FURTHER LARGE MANPOWER CUTS ARE SLATED FOR THE ARMED SERVICES.

HE ALSO ASSURED COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN CARL VINSON (D-GA) THAT EISENHOWER'S NEW BUDGET REQUEST, WHICH SEEKS MONEY FOR ITEMS CUTTING ACROSS SERVICE LINES, WILL NOT CHANGE THE ACTUAL METHOD OF APPROPRIATING FUNDS TO THE SEPARATE SERVICES.

AND THE PENTAGON BOSS SAID THE FIRST FEW ATLAS INTERCONTINENTAL BALLISTIC MISSILES WILL BE SET UP, READY FOR FIRING, BY THE END OF JUNE. THE GIANT 6,300-MILE RANGE ICBMS ARE EXPECTED TO BE PLACED AT VANDENBERG AIR FORCE BASE, CALIF. MCELROY SAID WORK ON THE ATLAS "IS MOVING AHEAD EVEN FASTER THAN ORIGINALLY EXPECTED."

GLENNAN, HEAD OF THE NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION, CALLED FOR "URGENTLY SUSTAINED . . . TIME, MONEY AND EFFORT . . . FOR YEARS TO COME."

IF THE U.S. PROGRAM IS TO BE ON A STOP-AND-GO BASIS, HE TOLD THE HOUSE SPACE COMMITTEE, "THEN WE'D BETTER SPEND OUR MONEY BUYING TELESCOPES TO WATCH THE RUSSIANS PIONEER IN SPACE."

UNDER QUESTIONING, GLENNAN ESTIMATED IT WOULD BE 18 MONTHS TO TWO YEARS BEFORE THE UNITED STATES CAN TOSS UP AS BIG A SPACE PAYLOAD AS THE RUSSIANS ALREADY HAVE LAUNCHED.

GLENNAN ESTIMATED THAT BY MIDSUMMER OF 1960 THE UNITED STATES WOULD HAVE A ROCKET POWERFUL ENOUGH TO SEND A THREE-TON VEHICLE INTO ORBIT OR A HALF-TON LOAD TO THE MOON. HE SAID THAT IN SIX YEARS A U.S. ROCKET MAY BE ABLE TO SHOOT 75 TONS INTO ORBIT.

THE CIVILIAN SPACE CHIEF AGREED THAT 1 1/2 TO TWO YEARS HENCE THE RUSSIANS PROBABLY WILL HAVE MOVED AHEAD THEMSELVES. "I DON'T PRESUME TO GUESS THAT WE'LL BE MATCHING THEM, IF INDEED WE SHOULD BE MATCHING THEM, IN THREE YEARS," HE SAID.

BUT GLENNAN RESISTED DEMOCRATIC SUGGESTIONS THAT MORE SPENDING NOW WOULD PUT THE UNITED STATES ON A PAR WITH SOVIET ROCKET POWER.

HE SAID THE U.S. SPACE ENGINE EFFORT ALREADY IS "GOING UNDER THE GREATEST HEAD OF STEAM WE CAN MUSTER AT THE PRESENT TIME."

GLENNAN AND HIS NASA AIDES MADE THESE FURTHER POINTS UNDER QUESTIONING:

THE RUSSIAN CLAIM TO ACHIEVING A SPACE SHOT PAST THE MOON AND INTO ORBIT AROUND THE SUN IS NO HOAX AS FAR AS NASA SCIENTISTS ARE CONCERNED.

THEY WOULDN'T BE SURPRISED IF THE RUSSIANS SHOOT A MAN INTO SPACE THIS YEAR BUT LANDING OF AN AMERICAN ON THE MOON IS STILL 10 TO 15 YEARS OFF.

U.S. COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITES FOR TV AND RADIO WILL BE LAUNCHED EXPERIMENTALLY IN ONE YEAR AND ON A PRACTICAL BASIS IN FOUR TO FIVE YEARS.

MEANWHILE, EISENHOWER SENT CONGRESS A PROGRESS REPORT ON AMERICAN SPACE EFFORTS. HE SAID IT IS A RECORD OF "SOLID ACHIEVEMENT" SO FAR.

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(360) NIGHT LEAD DISARMAMENT

BY ERNEST B. VACCARO

WASHINGTON, FEB. 2 (AP)-A CONTROVERSY OVER THE WISDOM OF SIGNING AN AGREEMENT WITH RUSSIA ON SUSPENDING NUCLEAR WEAPONS TESTS WAS RENEWED TODAY ON CAPITOL HILL.

THREE MILITARY LEADERS--GEN. MAXWELL D. TAYLOR, ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF, GEN. THOMAS D. WHITE, AIR FORCE CHIEF OF STAFF, AND ADM. ARLEIGH A. BURKE, CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS--ALL URGED EXTREME CAUTION IN MAKING ANY SUCH AGREEMENTS.

ON THE OTHER HAND, DR. HANS BETHE, PROFESSOR OF PHYSICS AT CORNELL, WAS QUOTED AS SAYING HE BELIEVED A SAFE, WORKABLE AGREEMENT COULD BE REACHED IF IT PROVIDED FOR INTERNATIONAL INSPECTION WITHIN RUSSIA AND PRECLUDED A RUSSIAN VETO.

BETHE, A MEMBER OF THE PRESIDENT'S SCIENCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE AND OF THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION'S ATOMIC WEAPONS EVALUATION SECTION, FOLLOWED TAYLOR AND WHITE TO THE STAND AT A CLOSED SESSION OF A SENATE DISARMAMENT SUBCOMMITTEE.

SEN. HUBERT H. HUMPHREY (D-MINN), SUBCOMMITTEE CHAIRMAN, TOLD REPORTERS AFTERWARD THAT IN RESPONSE TO A QUESTION AS TO WHETHER IT NOW IS POSSIBLE TO PROVIDE AN INSPECTION SYSTEM THAT WOULD SAFEGUARD AN AGREEMENT, DR. BETHE REPLIED:

"YES, IF THERE IS NO VETO ON INSPECTION AND (IF) NEW ADVANCES IN THE TECHNIQUE OF DETECTION ARE INCORPORATED INTO AN AGREEMENT."

HUMPHREY SAID A CENSORED VERSION OF DR. BETHE'S TESTIMONY MAY BE RELEASED LATER. HE QUOTED THE EXPERT AS SAYING NEGOTIATIONS WITH RUSSIA SHOULD CONTINUE DESPITE RECENT WHITE HOUSE REPORTS THAT SOME NUCLEAR EXPLOSIONS MAY BE MORE DIFFICULT TO DETECT THAN HAD PREVIOUSLY BEEN THOUGHT BY EXPERTS AT THE GENEVA CONFERENCE.

EARLIER, GEN. TAYLOR SAID EVEN A BAN ON THE USE OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS WOULD NOT IN ITSELF "REDUCE TENSIONS OR ELIMINATE THE DANGER OF WAR OR SURPRISE ATTACK."

GEN. WHITE SAID ANY FINAL AGREEMENT "MUST BE CAPABLE OF POSITIVE AND PRECISE CONTROL AND ENFORCEMENT."

THE MILITARY MEN ALSO EMPHASIZED THE IMPORTANCE OF TESTING MILITARY WEAPONS TO MAINTAIN MILITARY PREPAREDNESS.

WHITE SAID THE UNITED STATES CANNOT AFFORD TO RISK ITS SURVIVAL "SOLELY ON A DEFENSE SYSTEM WHICH MIGHT ONE DAY BE FOUND WANTING IN THE FACE OF AN OVERWHELMING OFFENSIVE."

"OUR ONLY GUARANTEE TO CONTINUED FREEDOM IS TO ASSURE THAT WE MAKE NO MOVE TO REDUCE OUR STRENGTH WITHOUT A COMPARABLE REDUCTION IN THE THREAT," HE ADDED.

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ADVANCE FOR 6:30 P.M. EST MONDAY FEB. 2 (NOTE DATE)
DEMOCRATS-FOREIGN (470)
BY D. HAROLD OLIVER
(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, FEB. 2 (AP)-THE DEMOCRATIC ADVISORY COUNCIL TODAY CALLED FOR BOLD NEW METHODS IN U. S. MILITARY AND FOREIGN POLICY AS A FREE WORLD CHECK AGAINST COMMUNIST EXPANSION.

THE COUNCIL, IN A 22-PAGE PAMPHLET ON "WHY WE NEED ALLIES AND THEY NEED US TO PRESERVE THE FREE WORLD," DEPICTED THE EISENHOWER ADMINISTRATION AS BEING INCAPABLE OF STRONG GOVERNMENT AND FRIGHTENED BY NEW IDEAS.

TIME IS GROWING SHORT, THE DOCUMENT SAID, ADDING:

"THE DUTY OF THIS NATION TO LEAD IS INESCAPABLE. THE DUTY OF ITS GOVERNMENT IS TO AWAKEN THE NATION, TO TELL IT THE TRUTH, THE WHOLE HARSH, DISTASTEFUL TRUTH, AND POINT THE WAY TO ACTION."

DEAN ACHESON, SECRETARY OF STATE IN THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION, HEADED A 30-MEMBER ADVISORY COMMITTEE THAT PREPARED THE DOCUMENT. IT IS THE SECOND OF 10 PAMPHLETS THE COUNCIL PLANS TO ISSUE ON ITS IDEAS OF POLICIES FOR PEACE AND SECURITY.

A FOREWORD SAID THE PAMPHLETS ARE DESIGNED TO BRING ABOUT THE WIDEST DISCUSSION AND UNDERSTANDING OF PUBLIC QUESTIONS, AND DO NOT NECESSARILY REFLECT THE PRECISE VIEWS OF ALL COUNCIL MEMBERS.

TODAY'S PAMPHLET HAD TWO MAIN THEMESES--A STRONG FREE WORLD COLLECTIVE DEFENSE AND MORE PERMANENT ECONOMIC ARRANGEMENTS.

IT SAID A DEFENSE CRISIS AROSE WHEN THE RUSSIANS SUCCESSFULLY ORBITED THEIR SPUTNIKS, AND CONTINUES BECAUSE THE EISENHOWER ADMINISTRATION "HAS NOT PUT THE NECESSARY RESOURCES, BRAINS, AND DETERMINATION INTO REPAIRING AND RESTORING OUR MILITARY POSITION." IT CONTINUED:

"ALL OF THESE REQUIREMENTS CAN BE MET; THE CONGRESS IS READY AND WILLING TO VOTE THE MEANS. BUT THE ADMINISTRATION WILL NOT LEAD.

"FIRST PRIORITY SHOULD GO TO OUR NUCLEAR STRIKING POWER. IF THROUGH LETHARGY WE SHOULD GET INTO A POSITION WHERE THE SOVIET UNION HAS THE CAPACITY TO DESTROY OUR POWER TO RETALIATE, THERE WOULD NO LONGER BE ANY SECURITY FOR THE FREE WORLD. A VERY GREAT EFFORT INDEED IS URGENTLY NEEDED TO AVOID SUCH A CATASTROPHE.

"ONLY SECOND TO THIS GREAT NEED IS THAT OF BUILDING ALLIED FORCES IN EUROPE AND, FOR USE, IF NECESSARY, ELSEWHERE, WHICH CAN DEAL WITH LESSER AGGRESSIONS, OR THREATS OF AGGRESSION, WITHOUT BRINGING ON ALL OF US THE DESTRUCTION OF UNLIMITED NUCLEAR WAR...

"DEFENSE MUST REMAIN COLLECTIVE DEFENSE. IF IT IS TO BE COLLECTIVE IT MUST BE FOUNDED ON STRATEGY AND WEAPONS WHICH WILL INCREASE THE COHESION OF THE FREE NATIONS. A STRATEGY WHICH SEEKS SECURITY BY BRINGING DEATH AND DESTRUCTION ON FRIEND, FOE, AND NEUTRAL, AS WELL AS OURSELVES, IN CASE OF ATTACK, SIMPLY WON'T WORK."

THE COUNCIL SAID AN "AIR OF THE PROVISIONAL, THE TEMPORARY, HOVERS OVER THE ENTIRE RANGE OF OUR FOREIGN ECONOMY POLICY."

"GOVERNMENT LOANS AND GRANTS, WE SAY, WILL BE NEEDED FOR TWO YEARS, OR THREE YEARS," THE COUNCIL CONTINUED, "AND AFTER THAT WE CAN END SUCH EXPEDIENTS--AS THOUGH LOANS WERE EXPEDIENTS IN A WHOLE ECONOMY BASED ON CREDIT...

"OUR RECIPROCAL TRADE AGREEMENTS POLICY... HAS BEEN IN EXISTENCE FOR ALMOST A QUARTER OF A CENTURY... YET WE GO ALONG EXTENDING IT FOR A FEW YEARS AT A TIME, AS IF IT WERE SOMETHING NOVEL AND TEMPORARY."

THE COUNCIL SAID ENDURING ECONOMIC ARRANGEMENTS ARE URGENTLY NEEDED TO REPLACE WHAT IT CALLED THE PRESENT "JERRY-BUILT IMPROVISATIONS."

IT SAID ALL PARTS OF THE FREE WORLD ARE ECONOMICALLY INTERRELATED--ALL ARE IN THE SAME BOAT AND ALL ARE SEASICK.

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ATOMIC FUELS
WASHINGTON, FEB. 2 (AP)-SOME NATIONS AND INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS CAN NOW BUY FROM THE UNITED STATES ON A PAY-LATER PLAN FUEL FOR THEIR NUCLEAR POWER PROJECTS.

CHAIRMAN JOHN A. MCCONE OF THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION, ANNOUNCING THIS TODAY, SAID THE PLAN IS DESIGNED TO STIMULATE THE DEVELOPMENT OF NUCLEAR POWER ABROAD UNDER PRESIDENT EISENHOWER'S "ATOMS FOR PEACE" PROGRAM.

NATIONS AND INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS WHICH HAVE NUCLEAR POWER COOPERATION AGREEMENTS WITH THE UNITED STATES ARE ELIGIBLE.

UNDER THE PLAN, PARTICIPANTS CAN USE REACTOR FUEL FOR 10 YEARS WITHOUT PAYMENT OF THE PRINCIPAL. THEN PAYMENT WILL BE SPACED OVER THE 10 YEARS WHICH FOLLOW.
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(200) RUSSIA-PIPELINE
WASHINGTON, FEB. 2 (AP)-A RUSSIAN ORDER FOR 2 1/2 MILLION DOLLARS WORTH OF STEEL PIPELINE HAS BOUNCED BACK TO THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT AFTER ITS EXPORT LICENSE WAS TWICE TURNED DOWN.

THIS TIME, OFFICIALS SAID TODAY, THE APPLICATION WILL GET CONSIDERATION BY SECRETARY LEWIS L. STRAUSS HIMSELF.

AN UNDISCLOSED STEEL COMPANY FILED THE FIRST REQUEST FOR AN EXPORT PERMIT IN DECEMBER, COVERING 13,000 TONS OF 28-INCH AND 30-INCH LINE PIPE.

THIS WAS REJECTED, AS WAS A SECOND ATTEMPT BY THE SAME EXPORTER. THE REFUSALS CAME TO LIGHT WHEN ANASTAS I. MIKOYAN, FIRST SOVIET DEPUTY PREMIER, COMPLAINED DURING HIS VISIT HERE LAST MONTH OF WHAT HE CALLED THE UNBENDING ATTITUDE OF AMERICAN OFFICIALS TO RUSSIA'S PROPOSALS FOR EXPANDED TRADE.

THE EARLIER REJECTIONS WERE HANDLED ROUTINELY BY STAFF MEMBERS IN THE DEPARTMENT'S BUREAU OF FOREIGN COMMERCE. BUT IN VIEW OF THE PUBLICITY GIVEN MIKOYAN'S COMPLAINT, OFFICIALS SAID, THE NEW REQUEST "HAS BEEN REFERRED TO THE TOP"--THAT IS TO STRAUSS.

WHETHER THE LICENSE APPLICATION WILL GET MORE FAVORABLE TREATMENT FROM THE SECRETARY WAS DOUBTFUL. STRAUSS IS KNOWN TO FEEL THAT THE UNITED STATES SHOULD EMBARGO EXPORT OF GOODS HAVING POTENTIAL MILITARY USEFULNESS, AND ALSO ITEMS WHICH WOULD RELEASE SOVIET INDUSTRIAL CAPACITY TO PRODUCE WAR-POTENTIAL GOODS.
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BONN, GERMANY, FEB. 2 (AP)-INFORMED SOURCES SAID TODAY THE WEST GERMANS ARE ABOUT TO SIGN A CONTRACT FOR PURCHASE OF ABOUT 100 F104 JET STARFIGHTERS FROM THE LOCKHEED CO.

THESE SOURCES SAID THE CONTRACT, TOTALING AROUND 120 MILLION DOLLARS, PROBABLY WILL BE SIGNED BEFORE THE END OF FEBRUARY.

THE DEFENSE MINISTRY HAS BEEN IN THE MARKET FOR SEVERAL YEARS FOR A BASIC JET FIGHTER AS THE KEY PLANE FOR THE NEW WEST GERMAN AIR FORCE. IT ANNOUNCED A TENTATIVE DECISION TO CONTRACT FOR THE STARFIGHTER LAST OCT. 24.

FINANCIAL SNAGS DEVELOPED DURING THE LENGTHY NEGOTIATIONS HOWEVER, AND RUMORS BEGAN CIRCULATING LAST WEEK THAT THE GERMANS MIGHT SWITCH AT THE LAST MINUTE TO THE RIVAL MIRAGE PRODUCED BY THE FRENCH DASSAULT CO. RELIABLE INFORMANTS AT THE DEFENSE MINISTRY SAID TODAY THERE WAS NO TRUTH TO THESE RUMORS.

THE BUNDESTAG BUDGET COMMITTEE MUST AGREE TO THE PRICE AND HAS BEEN REPORTED TO BE BALKING A BIT AT LOCKHEED'S.

ORIGINALLY THE GERMANS WERE TO BUY ONLY 6 TO 10 PROTOTYPE PLANES IN THE UNITED STATES AND THEN BUILD SOME 300 MORE IN FACTORIES HERE UNDER A LICENSING ARRANGEMENT. THESE PLANS HAVE BEEN ALTERED SO THAT AROUND 100 WILL BE BOUGHT IN THE UNITED STATES WITH SOME 200 TO 300 MORE BUILT IN GERMANY. THE FIRST PLANE IS SCHEDULED OFF THE ASSEMBLY LINE EARLY IN 1962.

A DEFENSE MINISTRY SPOKESMAN CONFIRMED AT A NEWS CONFERENCE LATER TODAY THAT BONN HAD MADE THE FINAL DECISIOON FOR LOCKHEED AND THAT THE FRENCH CRAFT WAS NO LONGER IN THE RUNNING.

HE INDICATED THE TOTAL NUMBER OF PLANES TO BE BOUGHT IN THE UNITED STATES WILL BE 93 BUT GAVE NO CLUE AS TO HOW MANY THE GERMANS PLAN TO BUILD HERE, AT THE OLD HEINKEL AND MESSERSCHMITT FACTORIES.

THE OPPOSITION SOCIALISTS CAME OUT WITH AN ATTACK ON THE DEFENSE MINISTRY FOR DECIDING ON THE LOCKHEED PLANE. HELMUT SCHMIDT, A SOCIALIST DEPUTY FROM HAMBURG, ARGUED THAT THE MIRAGE AND ANOTHER AMERICAN PLANE, THE GRUMMANN SUPTERTIGER, WOULD COST LESS THAN THE STARFIGHTER. HE SAID FURTHER THAT THE ECONOMICS MINISTRY WAS OPPOSED TO BUYING THE STARFIGHTER ON THE GROUND IT WAS A BAD BUSINESS PROPOSITION. ECONOMICS MINISTRY OFFICIALS WERE UNAVAILABLE FOR COMMENT.

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MOSCOW, FEB.2 (AP)-PREMIER KHRUSHCHEV CALLED IN WEST GERMAN AMBASSADOR HANS KROLL TODAY FOR THEIR SECOND TALK IN A WEEK. NO STATEMENT WAS RELEASED AFTER THE MEETING.

KROLL AND KHRUSHCHEV SPARRED VERBALLY AT A RECEPTION LAST WEEK. THE SOVIET PREMIER THEN TOLD ASSEMBLED DIPLOMATS:

"I HAVE BEEN PROPOSING TO THE AMBASSADOR OF WEST GERMANY 'LET'S GET TOGHER AND SIGN A PEACE TREATY.' AND HE SAID 'YES ON A REASONABLE BASIS.' WHAT I THINK IS REASONABLE HE THINKS IS UNREASONABLE AND WHAT HE PROPOSES, I THINK UNREASONABLE."

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NUENBERG, GERMANY, FEB.2 (AP)-THE U.S. 7TH ARMY'S WINTER MANEUVERS BEGAN TODAY WITH 50,000 TROOPS ENGAGED IN A MOCK WAR LESS THAN 70 MILES FROM THE IRON CURTAIN.

EXERCISE "FREE PLAY" GOT UNDER WAY AT DAWN WITH "AGGRESSOR" FORCES DASHING WESTWARD ACROSS AN IMAGINARY BORDER BETWEEN NUERNBERG AND REGENSBURG. THEY WERE MET BY A SCREENING FORCE WHOSE MISSION WAS TO EXECUTE "MAXIMUM DELAYING ACTION."

TONIGHT MANEUVER OFFICERS REPORTED THAT ALL-DAY ATTACKS HAD ACHIEVED ONE BREAKTHROUGH WHICH WAS CONTAINED BY FRIENDLY RESERVES.

THE U.S. AIR FORCE IS PREPARED TO JOIN IN THE EXERCISE WITH SOME OF THE NEWEST SUPERSONIC JETS IN EUROPE, INCLUDING THE VOODOO AND F-100 SUPERSABRE FIGHTERS.

SOME 60 GENERAL OFFICERS FROM 16 NATIONS ARE WATCHING THE 10-DAY EXERCISE.

THE EVE OF THE MANEUVER WAS MARRED BY TWO FATAL ACCIDENTS.

A GERMAN WAS KILLED WHEN HIS LIGHT TRUCK COLLIDED WITH A HEAVY ARMY TRUCK ON ITS WAY TO THE EXERCISE YESTERDAY. ON SATURDAY, ANOTHER GERMAN WAS CRUSHED TO DEATH WHEN AN AMERICAN TANK LOST A TRACK AND SWERVED INTO HIS CAR.

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LONDON, FEB. 2 (AP)-SOVIET CHARGE D'AFFAIRES ALEXEI ROSHCHIN CALLED TODAY ON FOREIGN SECRETARY SELWYN LLOYD, SPARKING A FLURRY OF SPECULATION THAT THEY DISCUSSED THE POSSIBILITY OF AN EARLY VISIT TO MOSCOW BY PRIME MINISTER MACMILLAN.

THE 15-MINUTE VISIT WAS ARRANGED AT ROSHCHIN'S REQUEST ON VERY SHORT NOTICE.

THE FOREIGN OFFICE WOULD SAY ONLY THAT "THERE WAS A GENERAL DISCUSSION ON CURRENT QUESTIONS IN ANGLO-SOVIET RELATIONS."

A FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMEN DECLINED COMMENT ON SUGGESTIONS THAT MACMILLAN HAD RECEIVED AN INVITATION TO VISIT THE SOVIET UNION FOR TALKS WITH SOVIET PREMIER KHRUSHCHEV. MACMILLAN IS THOUGHT TO FAVOR SUCH A MEETING.

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NEW YORK, FEB. 2 (AP)-SEN. LYNDON B. JOHNSON (D-TEX), CONCERNED WITH SOVIET TRADE COMPETITION, TONIGHT ADVOCATED A "FULL SCALE INQUIRY INTO OUR TRADE AND AID POLICIES."

HE TOLD A NEW YORK STATE MEETING OF EDITORS AND PUBLISHERS:

"IT WOULD BE WELL IF WE WERE TO ASSEMBLE AN ADVISORY COMMITTEE OF BUSINESSMEN RIGHT NOW...MEN OF EXPERIENCE, MEN OF VIGOR, MEN WHO ARE READY TO ACCEPT THE CHALLENGE."

HE SAID THIS ADVISORY COMMITTEE OF BUSINESSMEN SHOULD BE ASKED TO RECOMMEND POLICIES TO MEET THE SOVIET CHALLENGE.

JOHNSON, SENATE MAJORITY LEADER, DESCRIBED RUSSIA'S LEADERS AS HUSTLERS IN THE TRADE COMPETITION AND CITED SOVIET PREMIER NIKITA KHRUSHCHEV'S THREAT TO "BEAT US TO OUR KNEES BY ECONOMIC WARFARE."

"THERE IS NO REASON WE CAN'T BEAT HIM AT THIS GAME," THE TEXAN ADDED.

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NIGHT LEAD YOUTH (160)

CAIRO, FEB. 2 (AP)-CHEERING EGYPTIAN YOUTHS SHOUTED FOR PRESIDENT NASSER AT THE OPENING OF THE ASIAN-AFRICAN YOUTH CONFERENCE TODAY.

THE SPECTATORS GOT GREETINGS FROM NASSER--AND SOVIET PREMIER KHRUSHCHEV AS WELL. KHRUSHCHEV HAILED THE CONFERENCE OF 33 ASIAN AND AFRICAN COUNTRIES AS PART OF A LIBERATION MOVEMENT IN ASIA AND AFRICA AIMED AT "GETTING RID OF IMPERIALISM AND MAINTAINING PEACE."

BUT WHEN THE HEAD OF THE SOVIET DELEGATION WALKED TO TAKE HIS PLACE ON THE ROSTRUM, STUDENTS AND SPECTATORS IN THE GALLERY--MOSTLY EGYPTIANS AND PALESTINE ARABS--SHOUTED: "NEITHER EAST NOR WEST, BUT POSITIVE NEUTRALITY."

NASSER ECHOED THE SAME THEME LATER IN A SPEECH TO ABOUT 10,000 YOUTHS WHO PARADED BEFORE HIM AT THE NATIONAL SPORTS CLUB.

THE ARAB LEADER TOLD THE CONFERENCE IT WAS MEETING "TO EXPRESS THE STRUGGLE OF ASIA AND AFRICA, TO GUARANTEE ITS ASPIRATIONS AND SOLIDARITY AND TO WORK FOR THE SAKE OF FREEDOM AND INDEPENDENCE OF ALL PEOPLES."

THE CONFERENCE IS SPONSRED BY THE UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC'S YOUTH WELFARE ORGANIZATION AND THE PERMANENT SECRETARIAT OF THE AFRICAN-ASIAN SOLIDARITY CONFERENCE.

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